

HOUSE BILL 2739

By Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
Chapter 4, Part 9, relative to postsecondary
financial assistance from net lottery proceeds.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-931, is amended by deleting subdivision (e) and by substituting instead the following:

(e) A nontraditional student, upon being awarded a Tennessee HOPE scholarship under this section, shall also be awarded the scholarship retroactively for the semester hours that the student attempted in order to become eligible to receive the scholarship.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to nontraditional students who initially become eligible for the Tennessee HOPE nontraditional scholarship in the 2008-2009 academic year and academic years thereafter.